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## Farmers Can Win $2,000

CALGARY—A Canadian fertilizer firm has announced its intention of giving 53 cash prizes to prairie farmers in a big Nitrogen contest. Any resident of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and the Peace River district, over 16 years old, can enter this $2,000 cash prize contest being held by the makers of Elephant Brand Fertilizers. First prize is $1,000.

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## WI To Sponsor Home Nursing

A three month's course in Home Nursing, sponsored by the Lac la Biche W.I. will commence Monday, Sept. 8 at 8 p.m. in the town hall. Instructors will be qualified registered nurses.

A fee of $5.00 for the entire course of 12 lectures will be charged. These classes are open to any girl or woman in town or surrounding district, and should prove helpful and interesting. For further information contact Mrs. W. E. Coast, Lac la Biche, before the end of August.

## Athabasca Health Unit

The Athabasca Health Unit has stabilized the days on which Baby and Pre-school Clinics are held throughout the area.

For instance if the Clinic in your location occurs on the first Tuesday in August, it will always be on the first Tuesday of each month, regardless of date, unless this happens to be a Public Holiday in which case the Clinic for that particular month only, will be cancelled.

Attendance at the Athabasca Health Unit office does not warrant a weekly Clinic, and so there will be no Clinic on the second Friday of any month. The morning of the fourth Friday of each month is reserved for adults only.

There will never be a routine monthly or weekly clinic on the fifth week day of any month.

Please don't forget the importance of receiving your inoculations against Poliomyelitis.

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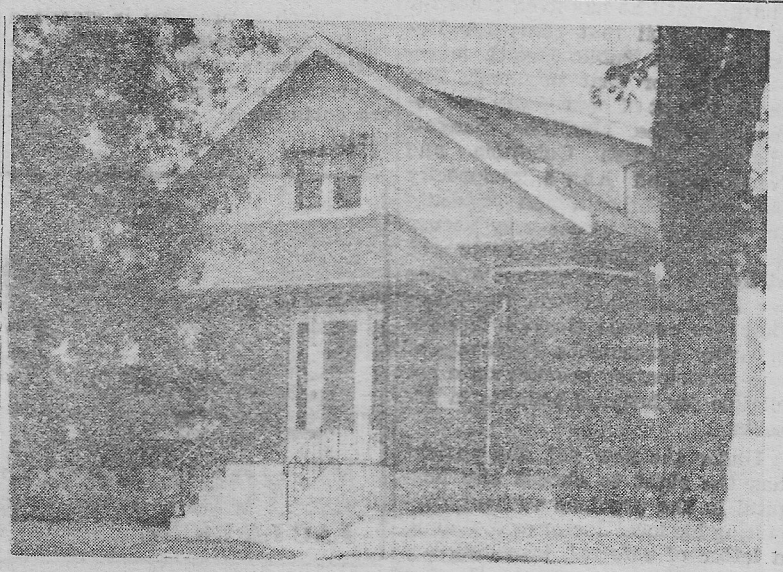

MURDER HOUSE—This is the house where the battered body of six-year-old Robert Moore, 10924-85 Avenue, Edmonton, was found. The boy's father, Dr. James Edward Moore, a professor at the University of Alberta, has been charged with the murder and remanded to the mental hospital at Oliver to undergo further psychiatric examination to determine whether he is fit to stand trial. Dr. Moore was arrested at his south side home Aug. 4 after police were called. Indications were the boy had been beaten to death with a hammer. Dr. Moore's next appearance in court will be Sept. 12.

## Patients Covered By Co-Insurance Fee In New Hospital Scheme

LAC LA BICHE—The Federal-Provincial Hospitalization Scheme which came into effect April 1 in Alberta, seems to be confusing to many ratepapers and residents. The act did away with the need for non-ratepapers' hospital contracts and all resident of Alberta are now covered.

The patient pays what is known as a 'co-insurance fee' which varies from centre to centre—for example, the patient is charged $1.60 a day in the St. Catherine's hospital, Edmonton hospitals charge $2.00.

Under the act, a payment known as the "Capital Charge" is payable by the responsible municipal authorities or the Department of Health, as the case may be. This charge also varies according to the bed-rate of the hospital. These rates vary from 50c per day in small hospitals to as high as $3.85 in one of the largest hosptals, with the average around $1.60 per day, which is also the St. Catherine's Hospital rate.

Responsibility for payment of this charge is determined by the following rules of the "Hospitalization Benefits Act".

1. Any person, who on the date of admission of such person to an approved hospital, has had his place of abode or resided in the municipality in which he is presently residing for the twelve consecutive months immediately prior to such admission and who, during such twelve consecutive months, has not received relief assistance from any other municipality, shall be a charge against such municipality.

2. Any person who, on the date of admission of such person to an approved hospital, does not qualify under rule 1, but who is a ratepay-

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## Sawyer Has Narrow Escape

LAC LA BICHE—Sandy Toma was saved from death or serious injury while operating a saw at Black Creek mill recently.

Observing a heavy log rolling down hill toward the sawyer, Fred Hutzkal slashed at it with his cant hook and, using his utmost strength, brought it to a stop four feet from Mr. Toma.

Hutzkal was taken to War Memorial Hospital with a twisted back.

## Members Tour Grain Plots

PLAMONDON — Grain Club members made a tour of the grain club plots, Aug. 13, and in general found all the plots to be worthy of praise. The district agriculturalist, Stan Powers and Willard Gauthier accompanied the members.

## Couple Receive Gifts, Cash

FRAINS — A large crowd attended a wedding reception and dance in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greschuk (nee Miss Jennie Carole Renaski).

The guests of honor were presented with many gifts and more than $400.00 in cash.

## Morinville Man Wins Newspaper Bingo

The St. Albert Lions Club has announced that Walter Mitchell of Morinville is the winner of the grand prize in the newspaper car bingo.

In a draw made July 19, Mr. Mitchell was declared holder of the winning card and he became the jubilant owner of a 1958 Chevrolet.

Other winners were: $20.00 — Frank Lilac and Dan Skreynyk of Edmonton — no numbers were marked on their cards after 16 numbers were called.

Winners of $10.00 prizes were: Mrs. Duncan MacDonald of St. Albert—four corners; George Bell of Edmonton — St. George's Cross; John Mandrusiak of Edmonton — St. Andrew's Cross; Mrs. W. Smith of St. Albert—outside square; H. E. Wheels of Wildwood—letter H.

This bingo has been appearing in the Country Life section of the Sun Publishing Company weeklies. Draws have been made each week and its popularity is attested to by the number of cards already being received by the Lions Club committee for a new bingo series which will appear soon.

## FORMER LAC LA BICHE TEACHER DESCRIBES LIFE IN COSTA RICA

LAC LA BICHE — Miss Kaye Krupka of Warspite, who was for a time on the teaching staff of the Lac la Biche schools, returned recently from Costa Rica where she spent a year as a teacher for the American United Fruit Co. The following is Miss Krupka's own account of life in that land.

"Last year I taught a class of 16 students in grades 2, 3 and 4, for the American United Fruit Co. in Pa mar Sur, Costa Rica, situated on the Eastern Coastal Plain in the heart of a banana plantation. The company maintained an English - language school to take care of the children of supervisory personnel. These schools used the same course of studies as prescribed by the United States school regulations, and instruction is given from grades 1 to 8. On completion of grade 8 the children are sent to the United States for junior and senior high school, or they may enter any of the Spanish schools in San Jose, the capital. Most of these children are Costa Rican, and spoke no English until they entered school, thus there was quite a language difficulty, as Spanish is the official language and very little English is spoken outside of the school. Illiteracy in Costa Rica is about 12%, the lowest in Central America, and the Costa Ricans are very proud of the fact they have more school teachers than soldiers.

School started at 7:00 in the morning, continuing till 11:00, and

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MISS KAYE KRUPKA, former teacher at Lac la Biche, is now in Costa Rica. She is shown enjoying bananas at their source.

## Blaze Caused By Lightning

LAC LA BICHE — During the severe electrical storm Wednesday evening, lightning struck the home of Alex Fayad, near the B.A. Bulk station. The lightning struck the aerial and travelled down to the radio, which was placed against a chesterfield.

A neighbor, Ford Scott, saw the fire in the house and turned in the alarm.

The family were not home at the time of the storm.

Firemen responded and the blaze which was confined to the chesterfield was soon brought under control. One fireman received cuts to his hand from glass falling from a window and had to receive medical attention.

In spite of so much intense heat this summer, very few electrical storms have occurred here this year.

## Tenders Called For RCMP Posts In North Towns

Tenders have been called by the federal department of public works for the erection of three new RCMP detachment buildings in northern Alberta.

The new buildings are to be constructed at Lac la Biche, Derwent and Manning.

Identical structures are slated for Manning and Lac la Biche detachment. Each will be 45 feet wide and 65 long. The one in Manning will be on a lot 133 feet by 150 feet, the one in Lac la Biche on an unequal lot measuring 147 by 150 by 172 by 65 feet.

The quarters in Derwent will be slightly smaller, measuring 25 feet by 65 feet on a 90-foot by 120-foot lot.

All three structures will have full basements with main floor and partial second storey for additional living space. The main floor will contain living quarters, including a living room, dining room and kitchen, a one-car garage, the detachment NCO's office, a general office, a cell and cell room, plus an exhibit room.

The second floor will accommodate three bedrooms and washing facilities.

Tenders close Sept. 10.

## Socreds To Nominate Candidates In 65 Alberta Ridings This Fall

Political activity in Alberta's Social Credit party points to a general election next spring. Provincial organizer Orvis Kennedy said the party hopes to have a majority of the candidates in the 65 ridings nominated this fall.

Tuesday, "a very enthusiastic gathering" of 150 Social Crediters in Andrew chose 46-year-old N. A. Melnyk to contest the Willingdon riding now held by Nick Dushenski, CCF. Mr. Melnyk is a high school teacher and a farmer in the Andrew district. He is married and has two daughters. His nomination was unanimous.

**MORE SCHEDULED**

Social Crediters in the Acadia-Coronation constituency have nominated Marion Kelts, a farmer in the Consort district. Liberal J. L. Simms represents the riding.

Six other nominating conventions scheduled include: Bonnyville, Aug. 19; Strathmore, Aug. 20 for Gleichen; Red Deer, Aug. 27; High River, Aug. 30 for Okotoks-High River; Brooks, Oct. 17 for Bow Valley - Empress; and Mayerthorpe, Oct. 29 for Lac Ste. Anne.

**CCF ALSO ACTIVE**

The CCF party, with four candidates nominated, plans to hold most of the conventions in November, but "is prepared to go into a political campaign sooner if necessary." The candidates chosen are: Charles Keeley in Lac Ste. Anne; David Garland in Wetaskiwin; Robert Carlyle in Lacombe, and Archie Olstad in Camrose.

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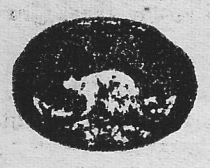

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er in a municipality shall be a charge against that municipality.

3. Any person who, on the date of admission of such person to an approved hospital, is in receipt of relief from a municipality shall be a charge against that municipality.

4. Any person who, on the date of admission of such person to an approved hospital, is qualified to receive benefits under the Alberta "Hospitalization Benefits Act" but who is not a charge against any municipality under Rules (1), or (2), or (3), above, shall be a charge against the Provincial Department of Public Health.

Costs per patient day not covered by the above mentioned co-insurance fee and capital charge are met by the provincial and federal governments.

Points clarified recently by J. D. Campbell, Provincial Director of hospitals are that those qualifying for benefits are required to sign a certificate of eligibility stating they are Alberta residents. As soon as any person has established residence in Alberta, he is eligible for benefits, but the municipality or town in which he resides will not be responsible for the capital charge, until he has lived there for a year. Until that time, the Department of Public Health is responsible for that payment. The patient must of course pay the co-insurance fee. Manitoba, Saskatchewan, British Columbia and Newfoundland have reciprocity pacts with Alberta and residents from those provinces may secure benefits in Alberta. Tourists and visitors in Alberta are not eligible for hospitalization benefits unless they are covered through the reciprocity agreements. Residents of non-participating provinces are not eligible for hospital benefits in Alberta.

Under the new act, the patient has the right to choose any hospital in the province without consulting his local doctor or otainbing a letter of referral, providing ac commodation is available. He also has the free choice of a doctor.

Under the provisions of the act all drugs utilized in the treatment of the patient will be covered by the hospital and the accommodation which is provided is standard ward accommodation. Should a patient desire or require private or semi-private ward care, the extra costs must be met by the patient.


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## Caslan

James Andews has been on the sick list lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cislo motored to the Peace River district last weekend where they visited the latter's uncle.

Elmer Meyer received word of the death of his oldest sister, Miss Ophelia Meyer, at Tucson, Arizona, Aug. 5.

Kathy Rudyk of Edomnton is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Wolansky.

Mrs. Nick Mahowich and family of Hylo are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. Gordon.

Mrs. Clarence Danehuk (nee Victoria Wasik) was visiting in the district.


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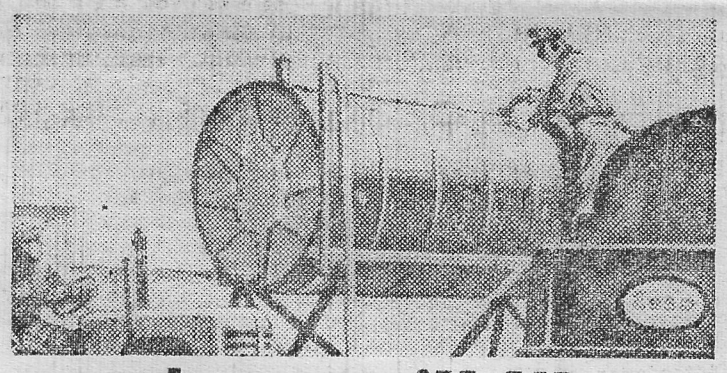

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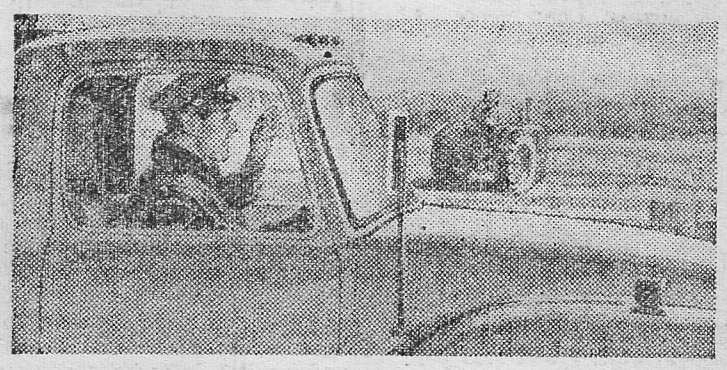

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## Hospital News

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Mr. Edwin Fosseneuve, Caslan; Mrs. Lucien Bourassa, Lac la Biche; Eileen Karpetz, Mrs. Alex Gordey, Wandering River; Linda Castor, Mile 199; Lena Laboucane, Lac la Biche; Sherill Powder, Edmonton; Eugene Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Aili E. Maki, Lac la Biche; Larry Dakin, Atmore; Joe Dakin, Gourin; Valerie Donofrio, Mile 253; Alfred Cardinal, Kikino; Mr. John Matoga, Spruce Valley; Mrs. Harold Belanger, Plamondon; Mrs. Katyrina Stefanyk, Lac la Biche; Mr. Salvatore Giacobbo, Mr. Paul Bryndzak, Venice; Mrs. Marie D. Gregoire, Lac la Biche; Charles Piche, Imperial Mills; Mrs. John Bourassa, Atmore; Mr. Francesco Macor, Venice; James Andrew, Caslan; Wilma Erasmus, Kikino; Alex Muz, Frances Huppie, Jeannette Parent, Mrs. George Desjarlais, Clara Velma Gladue, Mr. Steve Paskar, Dolphus Burke, Lac la Biche; Tilley Thompson, Kikino; Betty Gordey, Caslan; Mrs. Arsene Cardinal, John Laine, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Emile Gauthier, Julieanne Luc, Valerie Cote, Plamondon; Marion Smith, Ontario; Mr. Alex Kitt, Mrs. Herman Miller, Lac la Biche; Fernand Ulliac, Gourin; Mrs. Tony Mastaler, Lac la Biche; Denise Parent, Breynat; Donald Dobson, Allan Boucher, Lac la Biche; Donna Piche, Imperial Mills.

Mrs. Albert Cardinal, Beaver Lake; Thomas Young, Boyle; Norman Benson, Virginia Bourque, Mr. Raymond Schreiber, Lac la Biche; Mrs. William Whelan, Helina; Mrs. William Obichon, Imperial Mills; Mrs. James Rudiger, Egg Lake; Mrs. Jimmy Hamelin, Mr. Leonard Kolstad, Lac la Biche; Linda Donofrion, Mile 253; Mrs. Louis Richard, Mrs. Gerald Plamondon, Plamondon; Dianne Richard, Drayton Valley; Mrs. Fred Woychuk, Noral; Adele Lamoureux, Normandeau; Mrs. Mary Brezinski, Osima Alley, Mr. Thomas Maccagno, Lac la Biche; Gilbert Ladouceur, Harrison Cardinal, Kikino; Stuart Slager, Johnny Bereza, Lac la Biche; Mrs. John Humeny, Boyle; Mrs. Jean Ulliac, Gourin; Mrs. William Kostiuk, Lac la Biche; Mrs. David Ayotte, Plamondon; Omer Duperron, Berny; Racheal Bourassa, Plamondon; Emile Arndt, Margo Shanks, Mike Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Nick Torresan, Venice; Floyd Cardinal, Imperial Mills; Luc Plamondon, Plamondon; William Bugiak, Lac la Biche; Debra Semeniuk, Boyle; Orville Wood, Tweedie; Flora Quintal, Alice Anderson, Mr. Julien Gervais, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Joseph Duigou, Atmore; Mrs. Jack Parent, Breynat; Mrs. E. G. Dobson, Mrs. Joseph Lavallee, Lac la Biche; Billy Souch, Edmonton.

Births recorded: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Guedo of Atmore, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Grammer of Lac la Biche, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wowk of Lac la Biche, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Ariel Joe of Caslan, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. William Obichon of Imperial Mills, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. August Cardinal of Imperial Mills, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hatch of Wandering River, a girl.

## Lac la Biche

Mrs. Louise Boisson of High Prairie is visiting at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bouvier.

Mrs. Vera Bobko recently returned from a visit to her son Mike, who is stationed near Ottawa with the R.C.A.F. Mrs. Bobko had not seen her son since he enlisted with the air force 14 years ago.

Mrs. Mary Lacusta and two children left recently for Novak, where they will visit relatives and attend the wedding of her sister, Doris Kostuik.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McMillan and family left Aug. 14 for two weeks motor trip through Banff, Radium, on to the coast and points on Vancouver Island.

Rev. N. Stetzenko of Winnipeg arrived recently to pastor the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church in Lac la Biche and the country points. Mrs. Stetzenko is expected to arrive shortly to join her husband. A welcome is extended by residents to the newcomers.

Miss Clara Gatzke is taking a business course at McTavish Business College, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Marchildon and children are holidaying at Bonnyville and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hamar accompanied by Mrs. J. Zaluzny, motored to Two Hills recently. Billy and Janice Hamar returned with them after spending a couple of weeks with relatives at Two Hills.

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Intelligence will explain most miracles.

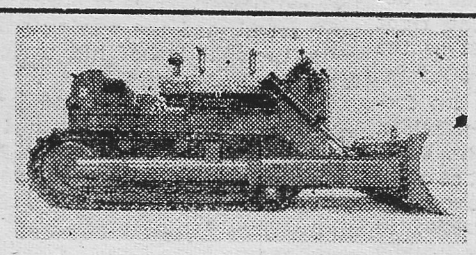
## Rich Lake

Marlene Ross visited the Roy Whitford home in Lac la Biche last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stevens of Brooks visited Mrs. Anna Stevens, Max Stevens and family and the John Ross family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Kumpula and family motored to Meadow Lake, Sask. Terry Kumpula looked after the store in their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Korpela, old-time residents of the Helina and Rich Lake districts, are visiting here from Haney, B.C.

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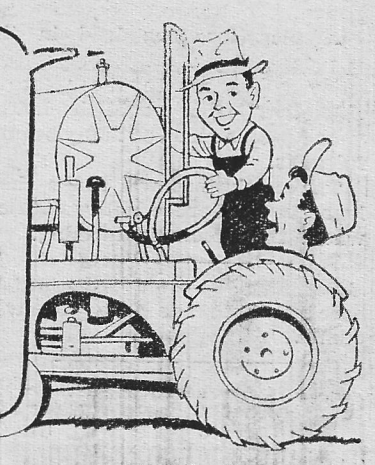

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again from 12:15 till 1:30 p.m. My year in the tropics was truly a remarkable one, one in which there was much to learn, see and do. With daily temperatures in the 90's, the high humidity, and the warm, muggy lifeless sort of rain seemed to mold my bones and made me wish I didn't need to move a finger. However, in time I accepted the heat and went right on mopping my brow just as the others did.

Earth-quakes were not too frequent, but common nevertheless. Sometimes they were light, causing only a slight vibration, at other times beds in houses swayed like hammocks, and dishes rattled in the cupboards. They were usually of very short duration.

'Manana' was an ever popular word. No one seemed to rush or hurry too much. At the beginning it had rather an irritable sound because it gave you the impression the people were lazy, but as time went on it left a less grating effect and you accepted it as a new way of life.

The unit of currency is the colon, equivalent to about 18c in U.S. currency. Because many of the foodstuffs are imported, a person would sometimes feel sick after doing the weekly shopping. You may think nothing of paying 36 colones for a quart of pickles, but when you come home and discover you paid $6.54 for them, and 90c for a box of jello, you feel you have not made a very good purchase. Fresh vegetables were very reasonabley priced, but canned goods which were imported were very expensive.

Every household employed a maid; some had a cook and a maid, so household duties were more of a supervisory nature. Houses were large and well screened against bugs.

Beauty enshrined in floral forms is rampant in Costa Rica. Yards were beautifully kept. With tropical flowers, trees in bloom the year round, and the waving palm trees, the zone looked like a summer resort.

The day for the office and farm employees began at 6:00 in the morning and ended at 3:30 in the afternoon, thus giving everyone ample time to partake of the many recreational facilities provided — golf, swimming, tennis, bowling, softball, soccer, fishing or maybe a drive in the country. Every day in the land of 'Manana' was a well balanced day.

Bananas were plentiful. Every week we had a stem of bananas brought to our house. One hundred and sixty-five thousand stems were shipped weekly."

Miss Krupka feels that the past year was rich in new experiences and the making of friends.

## Sworin-Semashkewich Rites Solemnized

Miss Olga Sworin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Sworin of Grassland and Mr. Stanley Semashkewich, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Semashkewich of Boyle were married in a ceremony held at Edmonton.

The bride was lovely in a low cut neckline floor-length gown of nylon net and lace, featuring lace lily-point sleeves. Her chapel-length veil was held in place by a tiara, trimmed with beads and sequins. She carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. Her jewelry was a single strand of pearls with matching ear-rings, gift of the groom.

Bridesmaids were Miss Elsie Semashkewich, Miss Diana Kononchuk and Miss Josie Semashkewich in dresses of pink, coral and pink, respectively.

The groom was attended by Mr. Nick Shmyrko, Mr. Eddie Bator and Mr. Emil Zachkewich.

Brian Pretula, nephew of the bride, was ring-bearer, and Teresa Shmyrko, niece of the groom, wore a turquoise gown.

Mr. John Kononchuk acted as usher.

For the occasion the bride's mother chose a wine dress. The groom's mother wore a white and grey figured dress. Both wore pink corsages.

A large crowd enjoyed a wedding supper at a table decorated with fresh garden flowers and centred with a three-tiered wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom.

A reception was held in the Spruce Valley Hall where guests enjoyed dancing to the "Gargus Orchestra" from St. Michael. The young people received many beautiful gifts.

The newlyweds will make their home in the Spruce Valley district, where the groom is farming.

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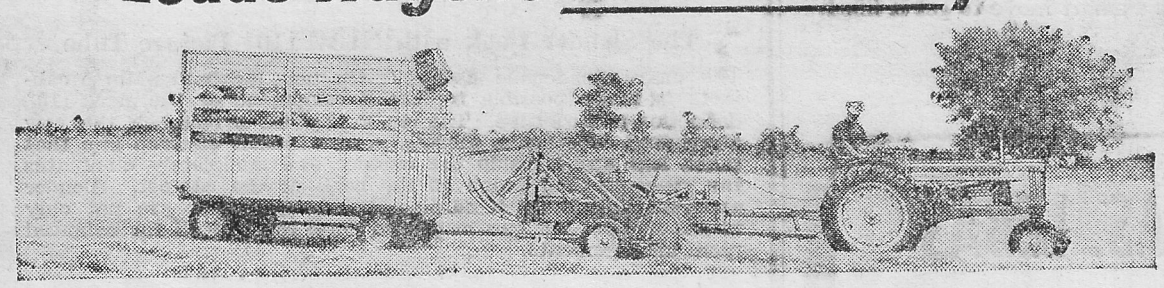

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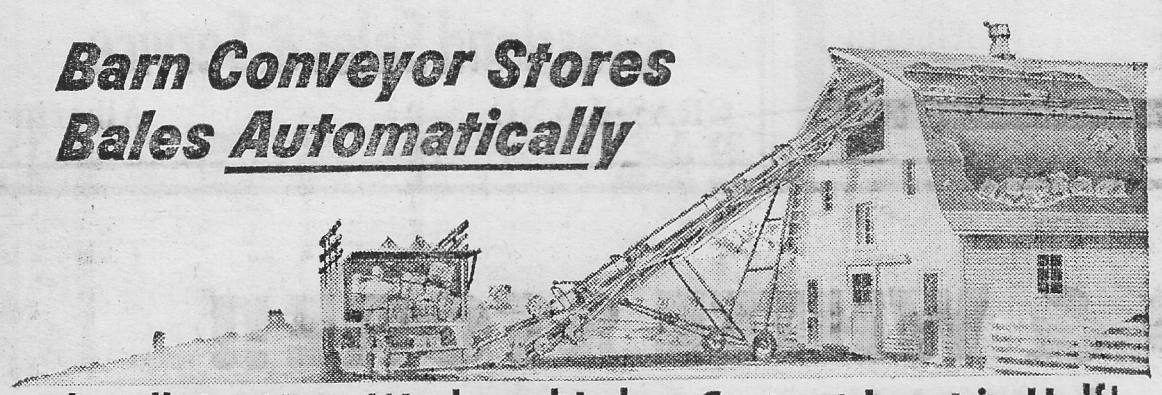

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## Frains

A successful Ukrainian show was held in the local community hall.

Juliana Kolach is home after a two-week holiday in Edmonton. While there she sang on CHED's Jubilee Jamboree.

Recent visitors in the district were Steve and Fredy Kadylo, Bill Choma, both of Edmonton, and Paul Yurkiw.

Johnny Kowalyk, Mrs. W. Kowalyk and Mr. and Mrs. D. Shwetz made a trip to Egremont recently.

The Nahorney family visited their farm during a recent weekend.

Visitors at the J. Pfau and G. Waselenchuk homes during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. A. Plachner and family of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. G. Gordey and family of Caslan.

Otto Pfau is now employed in Edmonton.

Mrs. Archy Shwetz was home during a recent weekend.

Home for a recent weekend were Mr. and Mrs. B. Kashuba of Edmonton. They had just returned from a holiday tour of Banff, British Columbia, Washington and Idaho.

Mrs. K. Loposhinski and son, Paul, are back after a visit in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hussynec, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pfau, Johnny and Otto Pfau, John Hussynec, Minnie Shwetz, Alfred Stokey, Mrs. A. Shwetz and George Camzak were weekend visitors at home.

Recent guests at the Kolach home were Mr. and Mrs. B. Kashuba of Edmonton, Andy Letwin of Hollow Lake and Pete Letwin of Edmonton.

Pete Frizian, Ray Frizian and Mrs. J. Pusharski have taken Nancy Kmech back with them to Cabri, Sask.

Leona Kolach has returned after a week spent at the J. Romanyshyn home in Grassland.

N. Chopoidalo, D. Shwetz and D. Kolach are spending the summer constructing garages.

Visitors at the Shyian home during the weekend were Victor Salling and Roy Shyian of Edmonton.

A successful dance was held in Mr. Kuzyk's new barn recently.

Rae Kolach has left for Grande Prairie, where he will be employed.

Jean Shwetz spent several days in Edmonton recently.

Raymond Mamchur was home for the weekend.

## Evelyn Elko Is Summer Bride

ELLSCOTT—A popular couple, Miss Evelyn Elko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Elko of Athabasca and Mr. Mane Radmanovich, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Radmanovich of Ellscott, were united in marriage in a morning ceremony held in the Greek Orthodox church in Athabasca.

The bride was attended by matron-of-honor Mrs. Annie Kowalchuk, sister of the groom, and by bridesmaids, Misses Lorraine Zilinski, Joyce Krumpic, Ethel Sauer and Ellen Radmanovich, sister of the groom.

Best men were Alec Kowalchuk, Mike Radmanovich, George Rosich, Frank Gray and Mike Markiewich.

Over 300 guests attended the reception held in Ellscott hall in the afternoon, followed by a wedding dance in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mane Radmanovich motored to the coast for their honeymoon and will reside in Boyle.

## Find Chemical Spray Checks Forest Fires

EDMONTON — A sodium calcium borate spray solution being used for the first time in fighting an Alberta forest fire helped bring a 500-acre fire north of Edson under partial control last week.

The solution was being sprayed on and near the fire, by two steerman aircraft from Wetaskiwin Air Spray Service.

Fifty men and bulldozers were still fighting the fire, one of 54 burning in Northern Alberta.

Two other new fires in the Edson area were reported to be small, and under control.

Thirteen men and bulldozers were fighting a fire 25 miles west of Loon Lake in the Peace River Forestry division.

One new fire in the Whitecourt district, covering 15 acres near an oil well, was being fought by four men and bulldozers and is under control.

A small fire in the Lac la Biche district started by lightning was reported under control, as was a small one in the Slave Lake district.

## Plamondon

Out-of-town visitors attending the Piquette - Lamoureux wedding held at Normandeau were Mr. and Mrs. Colin McMillan of St. Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buehler, Mr. and Mrs. Quinto Bonafacio, and Miss Lucille Tremblay, all of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Plamondon and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dakin have returned from a holiday in Banff and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gauthier of Mercoal spent several weeks in the district visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Helen Sullivan has returned from summer school; also Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gerard.

Mr. and Mrs. Elphage Dancause ae visiting in Donnelly and McLellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch from United States are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plamondon.

If we must have economy we can lways save money on defence items and let the communists take over the country.

## Ladies' Club Hears Home Economist

A well-attended meeting of the Plamondon district Ladies Agricultural Club was held in the Trio Cafe Aug. 12.

Miss Edith Whitney, Home Economist gave an interesting talk on finishing a garment, and other topics.


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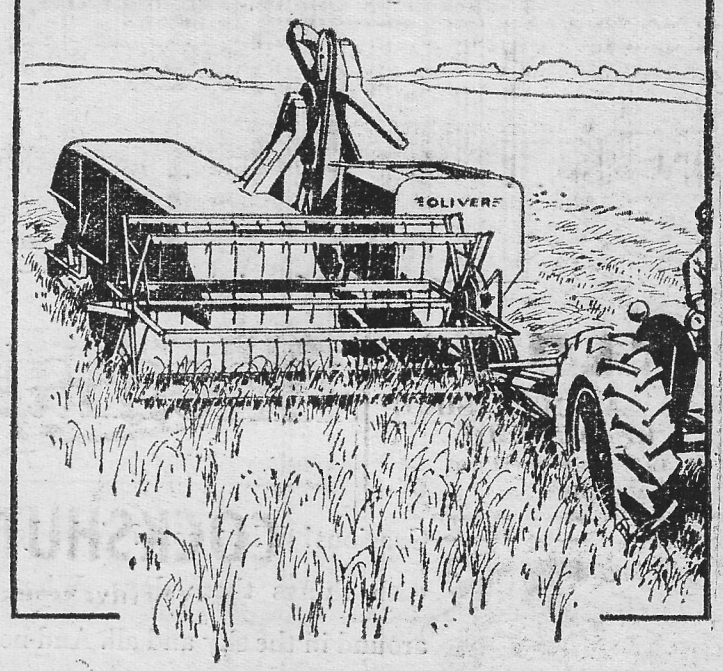


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## Gifts Presented To Lucille Joncas

LAC LA BICHE — A shower in honor of Miss Lucille Joncas, whose marriage to Mr. Harold Lange is an event of Aug. 28 was held in St. Catherine's rectory Aug. 14.

The rectory was gaily decorated with colorful parasols and bouquets of fresh garden flowers.

Little Maria Maccagno brought the gifts in on a decorated tea wagon. Assisting Miss Joncas in opening her gifts were Miss Aileen Biollo and Miss Cecille Budiger. A dainty lunch was served.

Hostesses for the affair included Mrs. L. Badry, Mrs. P. Brinsmead, Mrs. W. I. Chester, Mrs. W. Dumas, Mrs. W. Hamilton, Mrs. R. Rudiger, Mrs. J. Bouvier, Mrs. F. McMillan, Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. J. Joncas, Mrs. H. Linnell, Mrs. M. Lett, Mrs. M. Maccagno, Mrs. F. Perissini.

Many lovely and useful gifts were received by the bride-elect.

## Venice

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Biollo and daughters from Edmonton were recently visiting in the district.

Josephine Fornari is spending a week with friends in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mitchell and daughters, Marlene and Darlene from Edmonton, were recently visiting at the home of Mrs. Mitchell's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rowland.

Val Biollo from Edmonton was recently visiting relatives in the district.

Nick Torresan, employed by the NAR at 253, was visiting his parents over the weekend.

## Farmers Hear Talks On Swine Raising

PLAMONDON — A number of farmers attended a swine field day sponsored by the Plamondon Agricultural Club held at the Willard Gauthier farm.

A. J. Charnetski gave a talk on swine management. Dr. E. E. Ballantyne spoke on swine diseases and demonstrated the correct procedure in the vaccination of hogs. S. C. Powers, district agriculturist of the Lac la Biche district gave an interesting talk on policies for livestock.

## Gourin

Donald Rudman, who injured his finger in an accident, was taken to the Athabasca Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Ulliac were weekend visitors here.

Marie Rose Ulliac spent a week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Charest of Normandeau.

Margaret Dakin is spending a holiday with her sister, Mrs. Allan Amiot, in Edmonton.

## Fork Lake

Recent visitors at the J. Sunderman home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sunderman, Joyce and Billy and Mrs. Marie Dobbs of Heisler and Alvin Bjorgm of Camrose.

Thirty dollars was collected at a dance in Helina School for Mr. and Mrs. Reid who lost their home by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuzma of Edmonton were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Kuzman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sunderman. Misses Carol and Peggy Sunderman were also visitors at the Sunderman home.

A new road has been built around the south side of the lake and many fishermen and visitors are making use of the road to visit in the area.

The new road linking Lac la Biche and points east is receiving a covering of gravel.

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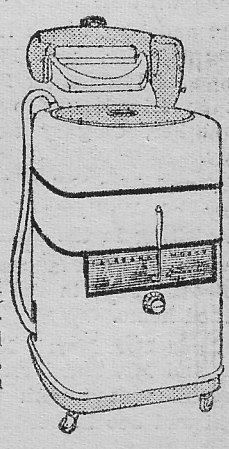

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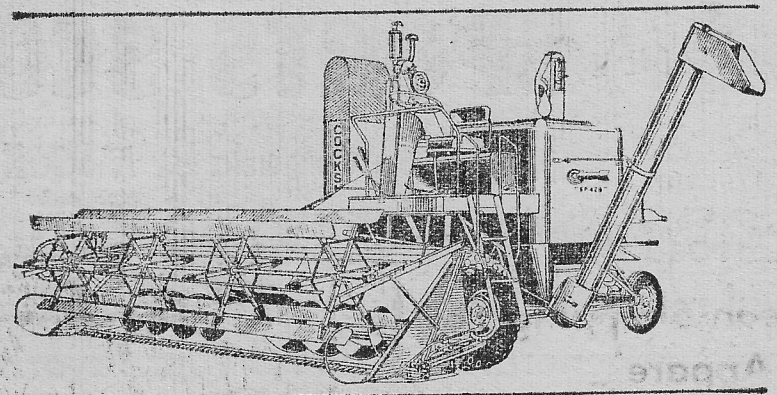

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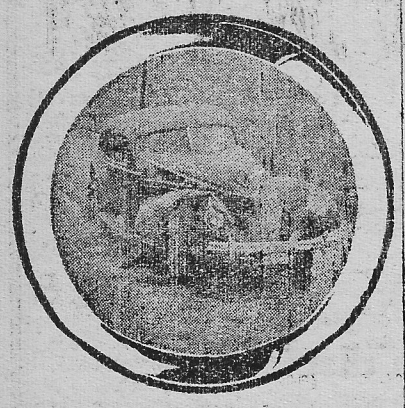

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## Charron

Carol and Valerie Belanger are staying at the Sandy Karpetz home while their mother, Mrs. Harold Belanger of Plamondon is undergoing medical treatment in the St. Catherine's Hospital in Lac la Biche.

A birthday party was held in honor of Mr. Jacob Shapka who celebrated his 76th birthday recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval McMillan, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence MacMillan and family, all of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. Delmore St. Jean.

Mr. Andre Ulliac is hospitalized in an Edmonton hospital. During his absence, Mrs. Schaub has been staying with Mrs. Ulliac.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shapka accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Coonan of Wandering River on a visit to friends and relatives in Drumheller, Calgary and Acadia Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bluda and family of Williams Lake, have been visiting in the district.

George Shapka, a scout during the fire fighting in the north has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nicipelo of Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. Bluda of Grassland visited with the Louis Ilnicki and Joe Semeskavich families.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Ilnicki, who have purchased William Holst's farm, are now busy remodeling the house before they take up residence there.

Others building houses and other buildings are Frank Dudla, Jessie Fischer, Clifford Gauthier and Joe Semeskavich.

Ronny Lafauve is employed by Mr. Lyle Steed.

## Wandering River

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sorobey and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Coonik, all from Vilna, recently visited the Nick Strayski family.

The Bill Strembitsky family from Edmonton is visiting the George Strembitsky family here.

The local men and boys who assisted in fighting the Pelican Portage fire for the past three weeks, have all returned home due to the recent rainstorm which brought the raging fire under control.

## Atmore

Mrs. L. Dakin, who attended Summer School in Edmonton, has returned home.

Mrs. Switzer, Joyce and Herbie of Lac la Biche visited the William Campbell home last week.

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CASLAN CLINIC—Aug. 28, 11 a.m. till 12 noon.

CASLAN COLONY CLINIC—Aug. 28, 2:30 till 3:30 p.m.

LAC LA BICHE OFFICE—Aug. 22, 1:30 till 4:00 p.m.

ATHABASCA OFFICE — Aug. 22, 1:30 till 4 p.m. Aug. 22, Adults, 10 till 11:30 a.m. Babies and Pre-School, 1:30 till 4 p.m.

LAC LA BICHE—

A course in Home Nursing, sponsored by the Lac la Biche WI will be held in the Town Hall, commencing at 8:00 p.m., Sept. 8. All ladies in the district are encouraged to attend. Contact Mrs. W. E. Coast, Lac la Biche.


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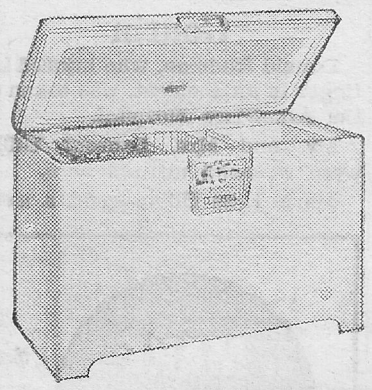

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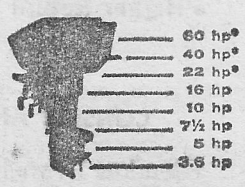


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